

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	§	
Arnegaard et al.	§	
	§	Group Art Unit: 3663
Serial No.: 10/532,647	§	
	§	Examiner: Scott A. Hughes
Confirmation No.: 5788	§	
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Filed: December 5, 2005	§	
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For: Implementing A Network	§	Atty Dkt.: 14.0209-PCT-US
Infrastructure In A Seismic	§	(WGEC0106)
Acquisition System	§	

Dear Sir:

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED SEPTEMBER 30, 2009**

In response to the Office Action dated September 30, 2009 having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on December 30, 2009, please enter this response and reconsider the claims pending in the application for reasons discussed below.

Although Applicants believe that no fee is due in connection with this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge counsel's Deposit Account No. 50-3882/WGEC0106, for any fees, including extension of time fees or excess claim fees, required to make this response timely and acceptable to the Office.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.